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ENCIPHERED TELEGRAM

Moscow. To the Deputy Chairman of the KGB attached to the SM of the USSR, Colonel General P.I. Ivashutin.

I am reporting that among the documents extracted from the shot-down American aircraft was a special US Air Force order, NR 194 dated 28 August 1958, for the 7406th Auxiliary Squadron of the US Air Force The order reads as follows:

"The officers and fliers of this unit as indicated below must depart Rhein Main Air Base, Germany, by 1 September 1958, for Adana Irsilik, Turkey, for approximately 10 days of temporary duty. This temporary duty is in order to participate as members of an aerial operations mission which is being conducted. Paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, B (with the exception of Sergeant Prans, who has access to classified materials, including secret materials), 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12 and 15 also apply Authority: US Air Force registration 30-13 with amendments and Air Force M. (possibly mission) (35-11). Captain Ehdvard Dzh Dzheras, NR AO-1905185, First Lieutenant Dzhon I. Simpson, NR 25642 A, First Lieutenant Rikardo M. Villarrill, NR AO-3064233, Sergeant Larou Prans, NR AF-15436645". The order was signed: For Commander Dzhek G. Ferrell, Captain, US Air Force, Assistant Administrative Services Officer

Besides this, US Air Force personal identification cards for Villarril Rekardo M. NR AO-3064233, rank of First Lieutenant, and Rudi Dzh. Sviestra NR AO-781703, rank of Captain, were also found. Partially burned banknotes were also discovered: four American notes totalling 31 dollars, 2, four West German notes totalling 50 marks and 10 shillings, one French note worth 1000 francs, one Dutch note worth 10 guilders and 5 Turkish notes worth 175 lire. In conjunction with that, aircraft debris continued to burn until late evening. Measures were taken to extinguish the fire and a thorough investigation of the remaining objects did not prove possible A proper sorting and examination of the remaining articles will be conducted beginning on the morning of 3 September of this year. By gun

camera and radio interception it was fixed that there was a NR 60528 on board the aircraft. A commission has been created to document the examination of the site of the incident in an appropriate report. I will report further results in an additional report. The site of the incident is being guarded by border troops.

KGB Chairman attached to the SM ARM SSR
Major General Badamyants 3/9-58

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ENCIPHERED TELEGRAM

Moscow. Deputy KGB Chairman attached to the SM of the USSR to comrade Colonel General P.I. Ivashutin

In addition to our telegram dated 3 September of this year.

I am reporting that two more half-charred human corpses were also pulled from the shot-down American aircraft. Per doctors' determination, there are 7 corpses total. During the search of the aircraft debris conducted together with military specialists there was found a personal identification card, NR AO-961, for Duncan Paul' E. Secret instructions for radio reconnaissance receiver equipment were also discovered. One of the half-burnt radio sets was identified by specialists as a general purpose radio reconnaissance receiver type AN/URR-35-SI. In conjunction with the appointment, by the Ministry of Defense, of a special commission chaired by comrade Major General of Aviation Tsybrik, with the participation of a representative from a KGB special department, we turned over all materials to a special department of the air force.

KGB Chairman attached to the SM of the Armenian SSR
Major General Badamyants, 4 September

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